UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS

KATE EGAN, individually, and on behalf of

others similarly situated, Case No.: 23-cv-1148

Plaintiff, Hon.: Matthew F. Kennelly

vs. Hon. Susan E. Cox

A.W. COMPANIES, INC., a Minnesota Corporation,

Defendant.

JOINT STATUS REPORT

The parties submit the following status report in anticipation of the status conference scheduled for February 5, 2024.

The parties are continuing through discovery. Plaintiffs previously served discovery requests on Defendant. Defendant has responded and intends to supplement its responses. Plaintiffs have initiated the meet and confer process to address various deficiencies with the responses and production. On January 29, 2024, Defendant informed Plaintiffs it had identified the opt-ins it wishes to serve the court ordered questionnaire on [D.E. 64]. The Parties are now scheduling a time and date to select the random opt-ins and to simultaneously exchange their preferred opt-in selections. Plaintiffs have also asked for the deposition of Defendant's personnel. Defendant will serve written discovery requests on named Plaintiffs the week of January 29, 2024.

Dated: January 29, 2024 Respectfully Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on January 29, 2024, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system which will send notification of such filing to all attorneys of record.

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